

# Daily Digest

## HIGHLIGHTS

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## Senate

### Chamber Action

*Routine Proceedings, pages S207–S213*

**Measures Introduced:** Two bills were introduced, as follows: S. 144–145. **Page S212**

**Measures Passed:**

*United States Capitol Police Officer Brian D. Sicknick to Lie in Honor:* Senate agreed to H. Con. Res. 10, permitting the remains of the late United States Capitol Police Officer Brian D. Sicknick to lie in honor in the rotunda of the Capitol. **Page S213**

**Mayorkas Nomination—Agreement:** A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing that the vote on confirmation of the nomination of Alejandro Nicholas Mayorkas, of the District of Columbia, to be Secretary of Homeland Security, occur at 2:30 p.m., on Tuesday, February 2, 2021, with all other provisions of the unanimous-consent agreement of Wednesday, January 27, 2021 remaining in effect. **Page S210**

A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing that at approximately 10:30 a.m., on Tuesday, February 2, 2021, Senate resume consideration of the nomination of Peter Paul Montgomery

Buttigieg, of Indiana, to be Secretary of Transportation, as provided under the previous order of Thursday, January 28, 2021; and that upon disposition of the Buttigieg nomination, Senate continue consideration of the Mayorkas nomination. **Page S213**

**Messages from the House:** **Page S212**

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**Additional Cosponsors:** **Pages S212–13**

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**Additional Statements:**

**Adjournment:** Senate convened at 3 p.m. and adjourned at 5:20 p.m., until 10:30 a.m. on Tuesday, February 2, 2021. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Acting Majority Leader in today's Record on page S213.)

### Committee Meetings

*(Committees not listed did not meet)*

No committee meetings were held.

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## House of Representatives

### Chamber Action

**Public Bills and Resolutions Introduced:** 46 public bills, H.R. 634–679; 2 private bills, H.R. 680–681; and 17 resolutions, H. Con. Res. 10–14; and H. Res. 72–83, were introduced. **Pages H259–62**

**Additional Cosponsors:** **Pages H263–64**

**Reports Filed:** There were no reports filed today.

**Speaker:** Read a letter from the Speaker wherein she appointed Representative Dingell to act as Speaker pro tempore for today. **Page H255**

**Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution—Appointment:** The Chair announced the Speaker's appointment of the following Members on the part of the House to the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution: Representatives Matsui and Roybal-Allard. **Page H255**

Permitting the remains of the late United States Capitol Police Officer Brian D. Sicknick to lie in honor in the rotunda of the Capitol: The House agreed to H. Con. Res. 10, permitting the remains of the late United States Capitol Police Officer Brian D. Sicknick to lie in honor in the rotunda of the Capitol. **Page H255**

**Senate Message:** Message received from the Senate by the Clerk and subsequently presented to the House today appears on page H255.

**Quorum Calls—Votes:** There were no yea-and-nay votes, and there were no recorded votes. There were no quorum calls.

**Adjournment:** The House met at 3 p.m. and adjourned at 3:04 p.m.

## Committee Meetings

No hearings were held.

## Joint Meetings

No joint committee meetings were held.

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### COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 2, 2021

*(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)*

#### Senate

*Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry:* to hold hearings to examine the nomination of Thomas J. Vilsack, of Iowa, to be Secretary of Agriculture, 10:30 a.m., SR-301.

*Committee on Armed Services:* to hold hearings to examine the nomination of Kathleen Holland Hicks, of Virginia, to be Deputy Secretary of Defense, 9:30 a.m., SD-G50.

*Committee on Veterans' Affairs:* business meeting to consider the nomination of Denis Richard McDonough, of Maryland, to be Secretary of Veterans Affairs, 12 noon, S-211, Capitol.

*Select Committee on Intelligence:* to receive a closed briefing on certain intelligence matters, 2:30 p.m., SVC-217.

#### House

*Committee on Energy and Commerce, Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations,* hearing entitled "No Time to Lose: Solutions to Increase COVID-19 Vaccinations in the States", 11 a.m., Webex.

*Committee on Rules, Full Committee,* business meeting and hearing on H.R. 447, the "National Apprenticeship Act of 2021"; and H. Con. Res. 11, establishing the congressional budget for the United States Government for fiscal year 2021 and setting forth the appropriate budgetary levels for fiscal years 2022 through 2030, 1:30 p.m., Webex.

## CONGRESSIONAL PROGRAM AHEAD

Week of February 2 through February 5, 2021

### Senate Chamber

On *Tuesday*, Senate will resume consideration of the nomination of Peter Paul Montgomery Buttigieg, of Indiana, to be Secretary of Transportation, and vote on confirmation thereon at 12 noon.

Following disposition of the Buttigieg nomination, Senate will continue consideration of the nomination of Alejandro Nicholas Mayorkas, of the District of Columbia, to be Secretary of Homeland Security, post-cloture, and vote on confirmation thereon at 2:30 p.m.

During the balance of the week, Senate may consider any cleared legislative and executive business.

### Senate Committees

*(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)*

*Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry:* February 2, to hold hearings to examine the nomination of Thomas J. Vilsack, of Iowa, to be Secretary of Agriculture, 10:30 a.m., SR-301.

*Committee on Armed Services:* February 2, to hold hearings to examine the nomination of Kathleen Holland Hicks, of Virginia, to be Deputy Secretary of Defense, 9:30 a.m., SD-G50.

February 4, Full Committee, to receive a closed briefing on the Army response to the findings and recommendations of the Fort Hood Independent Review Committee's assessment of the Fort Hood command climate and culture, 9:30 a.m., SD-G50.

*Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation:* February 3, business meeting to consider the nomination of Gina Marie Raimondo, of Rhode Island, to be Secretary of Commerce, 9:30 a.m., SR-325.

*Committee on Energy and Natural Resources:* February 3, business meeting to consider the nomination of Jennifer Mulhern Granholm, of Michigan, to be Secretary of Energy; to be immediately followed by a hearing to examine data and analysis by the United States' and world's leading authorities on global climate trends from energy related sectors, focusing on where and how progress has been made in addressing climate change, 10 a.m., SD-G50.

*Committee on Environment and Public Works:* February 3, to hold hearings to examine the nomination of Michael Stanley Regan, of North Carolina, to be Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency, 2 p.m., SD-106.

*Committee on Foreign Relations:* February 3, business meeting to consider pending calendar business, 10 a.m., SD-106.

February 4, Full Committee, business meeting to consider pending calendar business, 10 a.m., SR-325.

*Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions:* February 3, to hold hearings to examine the nomination of Miguel A. Cardona, of Connecticut, to be Secretary of Education, 10 a.m., SD-430.

February 4, Full Committee, to hold hearings to examine the nomination of Martin Joseph Walsh, of Massachusetts, to be Secretary of Labor, 10 a.m., SD-430.

*Committee on Small Business and Entrepreneurship*: February 3, to hold hearings to examine the nomination of Isabella Casillas Guzman, of California, to be Administrator of the Small Business Administration, 10:30 a.m., SR-301.

*Committee on Veterans' Affairs*: February 2, business meeting to consider the nomination of Denis Richard McDonough, of Maryland, to be Secretary of Veterans Affairs, 12 noon, S-211, Capitol.

*Select Committee on Intelligence*: February 2, to receive a closed briefing on certain intelligence matters, 2:30 p.m., SVC-217.

### House Committees

*Committee on Appropriations*, February 4, Full Committee, organizational meeting, 1 p.m., Webex.

*Committee on Armed Services*, February 3, Full Committee, organizational meeting, 11 a.m., 2118 Rayburn and Webex.

*Committee on Energy and Commerce*, February 3, Subcommittee on Health, hearing entitled "Road to Recovery: Ramping Up COVID-19 Vaccines, Testing, and Medical Supply Chain", 11 a.m., Webex.

February 4, Subcommittee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, hearing entitled "Safeguarding American Consumers: Fighting Fraud and Scams During the Pandemic", 12 p.m., Webex.

*Committee on Financial Services*, February 3, Full Committee, organizational meeting, 11 a.m., 2128 Rayburn and Webex.

February 4, Full Committee, hearing entitled "More than a Shot in the Arm: The Need for Additional COVID-19 Stimulus", 10 a.m., Webex.

February 4, Subcommittee on National Security, International Development, and Monetary Policy, hearing entitled "Supporting Small and Minority-Owned Businesses Through the Pandemic", 3 p.m., Webex.

*Committee on Foreign Affairs*, February 3, Full Committee, organizational meeting, 2 p.m., Webex.

*Committee on Homeland Security*, February 3, Full Committee, organizational meeting, 10 a.m., Webex.

February 4, Full Committee, hearing entitled "Examining the Domestic Terrorism Threat in the Wake of the Attack on the U.S. Capitol", 10 a.m., Webex.

*Committee on Oversight and Reform*, February 4, Full Committee, hearing entitled "Accountability and Lessons Learned from the Trump Administration's Child Separation Policy", 10 a.m., Webex.

*Committee on Rules*, February 3, Full Committee, hearing on H. Res. 72, removing a certain Member from certain standing committees of the House of Representatives, 3 p.m., Webex.

*Committee on Small Business*, February 4, Full Committee, organizational meeting, 9:30 a.m., 2360 Rayburn and Webex.

February 4, Full Committee, hearing entitled "State of the Small Business Economy in the Era of COVID-19", 10 a.m., 2360 Rayburn and Webex.

*Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure*, February 4, Full Committee, organizational meeting and hearing entitled "Protecting Transportation Workers and Passengers from COVID: Gaps in Safety, Lessons Learned, and Next Steps", 11 a.m., 2167 Rayburn and Webex.

*Committee on Ways and Means*, February 4, Full Committee, organizational meeting, 10 a.m., 1100 Longworth and Webex.

# Résumé of Congressional Activity

## FIRST SESSION OF THE ONE HUNDRED SEVENTEENTH CONGRESS

The first table gives a comprehensive résumé of all legislative business transacted by the Senate and House. The second table accounts for all nominations submitted to the Senate by the President for Senate confirmation.

### DATA ON LEGISLATIVE ACTIVITY

January 3 through January 31, 2021

	<i>Senate</i>	<i>House</i>	<i>Total</i>
Days in session .....	13	12	..
Time in session .....	55 hrs., 16'	35 hrs., 18'	..
Congressional Record:			
Pages of proceedings .....	205	254	..
Extensions of Remarks .....	..	78	..
Public bills enacted into law .....	4	1	..
Private bills enacted into law .....	..	..	..
Bills in conference .....	..	..	..
Measures passed, total .....	15	31	46
Senate bills .....	..	..	..
House bills .....	1	6	..
Senate joint resolutions .....	..	..	..
House joint resolutions .....	..	..	..
Senate concurrent resolutions .....	2	2	..
House concurrent resolutions .....	..	1	..
Simple resolutions .....	12	22	..
Measures reported, total .....	*1	*2	3
Senate bills .....	1	..	..
House bills .....	..	..	..
Senate joint resolutions .....	..	..	..
House joint resolutions .....	..	..	..
Senate concurrent resolutions .....	..	..	..
House concurrent resolutions .....	..	..	..
Simple resolutions .....	..	2	..
Special reports .....	..	..	..
Conference reports .....	..	..	..
Measures pending on calendar .....	3	..	..
Measures introduced, total .....	165	717	882
Bills .....	133	615	..
Joint resolutions .....	5	22	..
Concurrent resolutions .....	4	9	..
Simple resolutions .....	23	71	..
Quorum calls .....	2	1	..
Yea-and-nay votes .....	10	17	..
Recorded votes .....	..	..	..
Bills vetoed .....	..	..	..
Vetoes overridden .....	..	..	..

### DISPOSITION OF EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS

January 3 through January 31, 2021

Civilian nominees, totaling 70, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed .....	4
Unconfirmed .....	65
Withdrawn .....	1
Other Civilian nominees, totaling 0, disposed of as follows:	
Unconfirmed .....	0
Air Force nominees, totaling 82, disposed of as follows:	
Unconfirmed .....	82
Army nominees, totaling 118, disposed of as follows:	
Unconfirmed .....	118
Navy nominees, totaling 3, disposed of as follows:	
Unconfirmed .....	3
Marine Corps nominees, totaling 79, disposed of as follows:	
Unconfirmed .....	79
Space Force nominees, totaling 5, disposed of as follows:	
Unconfirmed .....	5
<i>Summary</i>	
Total nominees carried over from the First Session .....	0
Total nominees received this Session .....	357
Total confirmed .....	4
Total unconfirmed .....	352
Total withdrawn .....	1
Total returned to the White House .....	0

\*These figures include all measures reported, even if there was no accompanying report. A total of 0 written reports have been filed in the Senate, 2 reports have been filed in the House.

*Next Meeting of the SENATE*

10:30 a.m., Tuesday, February 2

*Next Meeting of the HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES*

2 p.m., Tuesday, February 2

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*(Senate will recess following disposition of the Buttigieg nomination until 2:15 p.m. for their respective party conferences.)*

## House Chamber

**Program for Tuesday:** To be announced.

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